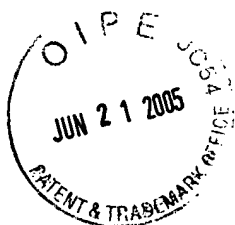


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Sir:

It is hereby requested that the shortened statutory period for responding to the Examiner's  
Action dated December 21, 2004 be extended three months from March 21, 2005 to June 21, 2005.Please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-1250 in the amount of \$1020.00 for the three month  
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deficiency in the required fee or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 01-1250.Responsive action has been taken by filing an Amendment simultaneously herewith.

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